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1. IN ADDITION TO REASONS CITED PARA 2 REFTEL FOR IRANIAN RELUCTANCE TO JOIN THE ASIAN DEVELOPMENT BANK, WE ALSO RECALL THAT IT BELIEVED BANK'S ACTIVITIES WOULD BE LARGELY EAST ASIA ORIENTED AND THEREFORE OF RATHER MARGINAL INTEREST TO IRAN. SUBJECT TO EMBASSY TEHRAN CORRECTION, WE WOULD ASSUME THAT IRANIAN ATTITUDES TOWARD THE ASIAN DEVELOPMENT BANK REMAIN ESSENTIALLY THE SAME.

2. WE DO NOTE HOWEVER SHAH'S PUBLIC COMMENTS ABOUT ESTABLISHING SOME SORT OF "NEUTRAL" INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT BANK FUNDED BY RESOURCES A NUMBER OF OIL PRODUCING COUNTRIES MAY FIND SURPLUS TO THEIR CURRENT NEEDS. WE

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WOULD EXPECT THAT UNTIL THIS IDEA MATURES OR IS DIS-
CARDED THERE WOULD NOT BE MUCH CHANCE OF ENGAGING IRAN'S
INTEREST IN JOINING THE ASIAN DEVELOPMENT BANK.
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